

To the Members of the California State Senate:

I am returning Senate Bill 1404 without my signature.

This bill is an unnecessary intrusion by state government into the domain of local agencies. The proponents of this measure have offered no evidence that state intervention is necessary to regulate when a prohibition against parking should not be enforced because posted street cleaning may or may not have actually occurred.

Cities and counties are well situated to respond to the needs of their communities. Where citizens have concerns about local ordinances dealing with parking and street sweeping, I encourage them to communicate with their local officials to address those concerns.

Sincerely,

Arnold Schwarzenegger